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MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Re:

Application of Koichiro YOKOYAMA, Satoshi NODA, Hikaru KOBAYASHI, Hitoshi

YAZAKI and Hiroshi HAMAKAWA LIOUID EJECTING APPARATUS

Assignee: SEIKO EPSON CORPORATION

Our Ref. Q80974

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above comprising thirty-nine (39) sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract, and nineteen (19) sheets of drawings. The requisite U.S. Government Filing Fee, copies of the executed Declaration and Power of Attorney and Assignment will be submitted at a later date. Also enclosed is an Information Disclosure Statement and PTO/SB/08 A & B (modified) and Preliminary Amendment.

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The priority documents are enclosed herewith.

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